CONNECTICUT COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND TOURISM

Connecticut Commission on Culture & Tourism One Constitution Plaza 2nd Floor Hartford, Connecticut

Executive Committee Meeting March 8, 2011 Conference Call/Tourism Conference Room

MINUTES

Present: Michael Price – Chair, Arthur Diedrick, Helen Higgins, Fritz Jellinghaus,

Larry McHugh, Stuart Parnes, Ann Shefffer and Ted Yudain.

Excused: Carolyn Cicchetti and Clem Roy

Staff: Randy Fiveash and Jennifer Haag (recording)

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Price at 11:35 a.m.

II. Approval of the February 8, 2011 Executive Committee minutes.

<u>A motion was made by Fritz Jellinghause, second by Ann Sheffer, the Executive</u> Committee approved the minutes for February 8, 2011. (Y-7, N-0, A-1, Stuart Parnes)

III. Report of the Chairman

No report as this time.

IV. Report of the Executive Director

No report at this time.

- V. Action Items
 - A. <u>A motion was made by Ted Yudain, second by Ann Sheffer, the Executive</u>

 <u>Committee of the Commission on Culture & Tourism approved two (2) Survey</u>

 <u>and Planning grants totaling \$29,900.00. (Y-8, N-0)</u>
 - B. <u>A motion was made by Fritz Jellinghaus, second by Ann Sheffer, the Executive</u>

 <u>Committee of the Commission on Culture & Tourism approved ten (10)</u>

 <u>Strategic Initiative grants totaling \$176,900.00. (Y-8, N-0)</u>
 - C. A motion was made by Larry McHugh, second by Helen Higgins, the Executive

Committee of the Commission on Culture & Tourism approved eighteen (18) Marketing challenge grants totaling \$282,350.00. (Y-8, N-0)

VI. Other Business None

VII. Next Meeting Date

The next scheduled meeting for the Executive Committee is Tuesday, April 5, 2011 at 11:30 a.m., Middlesex Chamber of Commerce.

VII. Motion to adjourn - all were in favor.

Respectfully submitted by:

Jennifer Haag